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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For:		<b>SYNTHESIS OF CHIRAL FURAN AMINO ACIDS AS NOVEL PEPTIDE BUILDING BLOCKS</b>	

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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## **RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2006 for which a one (1) month period of response is given. Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 17 of this paper.